

Local Briefs

The dirt will begin to fly on the new road up Fighting Creek in a few days.

Mrs. G. W. Tye and family were at Dishman Spring last week.

Miss Lucile Rowlings of Danville is visiting Miss Paul Sampson.

Leonard Cottongim who has been in Atlanta has returned home.

The Camp Fire Girls spent several days at Dishman Spring last week.

Capt. E. B. Dishman will leave within a few days with his family to join his company at Ft. Thomas, Ky.

Chas. Chandler, President of the Tri-State Telephone Co., was here Wednesday.

Miss Esther Marsee is helping the Advocate force get out Union College catalogue this week.

Miss Mollie Smith returned home last Tuesday from an extended visit in Virginia and the Carolinas.

Mrs. John J. Henson, of St. Petersburg, Fla., is visiting her sister Mrs. W. H. McDonald.

There is a protracted meeting in progress under the big beech tree near Elias Arnetts, services every night. The music is excellent.

Mr. Delbert Hart who has been working with the Advocate force for the past three weeks, returned to his home in Middlesboro, last Monday.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Reams, of Wilton, on August 10th, a twelve pound boy. This of course made Mr. Reams smile a smile that almost engulfed his ears.

Miss Dora Mitchell is in Garrard county visiting relatives. She attended the fair at Lexington last week and went to Frankfort and many other Blue Grass towns.

Miss Lizzie Catron of Atlanta, Ga., who has been visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Catron left for her home Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Robson, Miss Daisy and John Jr. went to Corbin last Wednesday to visit Mrs. Robson's sister and family, Mrs. W. A. Gray.

Monday evening a number of young people gathered at the home of Mrs. F. D. Sampson to greet the charming guest of the family, Miss Lucile Rowlings of Danville. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Next Friday the 25th Dr. Leslie Logan and Miss Beatrice Croley will be married, the ceremony will be performed at the residence of A. J. Croley by Rev. L. W. Russell pastor of the Baptist church.

Miss Marcella and Jennie Hayden, of Artemus, Miss Julia Poole, of Cumberland, Gap, Tenn., have returned to their home after spending a very pleasant week with Miss Mary McDermott at Dishman Spring.

It was discovered that there was a young deer among the old ones in the herd at Dishman Spring Monday. We only wish that the woods were full of them and that it was a fine of one thousand dollars to kill one.

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Riley-Lusk.

On Thursday of last week Miss Nannie Riley and Mr. L. G. Lusk were quietly married at Pineville, Ky.

Mr. Lusk is a conductor on the L. & N. Railroad, and a man that is liked by all who know him. Miss Riley is the daughter of Mrs. Martha Riley of this city, who died some several months ago.

She is one of Barbourville's best and prettiest girls. We wish for them many happy days.

In The Running.

Our old friend R. E. (Bob) Johnson, was down from Warren last Tuesday, and while in town called at the Advocate, and told us that he was a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace. We have known Mr. Johnson for sometime and we believe that he is alright. We do not believe that anyone can question his Republicanism, and he is big enough to fill the Squires chair brim full.

Republican Meeting.

A rousing big meeting was held at the court house Tuesday, Aug. 15, at 11 a. m. The meeting was called to order by Senator B. C. Lewis, Chairman of the County Republican Committee, who stated the object of the meeting, after which Hon. A. S. Bennett, Secretary of the State Campaign Committee of the State, gave a very interesting talk on the organization. His talk was a most interesting talk along the line of organization, after which a county organization was perfected and each member of the County Committee present went away with a renewed determination to go after the Democratic party in a way that they were never gone after before.

After the organization speeches were made by the following orators: S. H. Kash, Senator Lewis and others. The Republicans will leave no stones unturned and our aim is 2500 majority in Knox county and 25000 in Kentucky in November.

The following gentlemen were here Tuesday attending the meeting of the Republicans: Jas Hinkle, Indian Creek; W. M. Bargo, Flat Lick; D. W. Slusher, John H. Slusher, G. W. Messer, and others, Flat Lick; Harrison Jackson, Scaf; Robt. Smith, Hammond; W. R. Marsee, R. F. Johnson, G. B. Detherage, Warren; C. C. McDonald, J. B. Trosper, G. W. Norman, Trosper; John Perkey, Alex Cassady, Artemus; A. L. Williams, Anchor; F. H. Kash, Corbin; Judge Yancy Lytle, Manchester; J. A. Stansbury, Knox Fork; and scores of others whose names and addresses we were unable to get. Any way it was a big gathering, and every man seem to be in dead earnest for the ticket this fall. If the republicans do not carry Knox county this fall by 2500 we will kill the best cat on the place.

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Grins and Groans

Ben Parker has a son that is a real rabbit hunter and rabbit getter.

Most any politician can be eloquent and at the same time be wrong.

There is a bunch of women in this town that knows a lot, most of which is not true.

A young widow is tickled to death to make a new acquaintance, yet she is not ready to be buried.

The man who is called one of the has-beens, is entitled to much more credit than the "Gink" that never was.

It is said that John D. Rockefeller cannot tell how much he is worth, neither can Capt. John Henry Lawson.

Dave Wilson would like for some far seeing son-of-a-gun to tell him how old a girl has to be before she should put on short skirts.

A young widow was heard to say that the old bachelor who hesitates is a goner, of course she did not have Alex Vaughn in mind when she said it.

We have plenty of famous Bulls, there is John-Durham-Sitting all well known.

The Congress race was an exciting incident. Powers won first and McKeehan came in second??

No smell is as sweet to the girl as fumes of burnt gasoline.

It is said that Al Simms will soon be at home, having completed his contract with Howes Great Show sliding the slide. It will be a caution to hear Al tell about what a great time he had.

Alfred Bolton is about to invent an auger that will bore a square hole. Thereby putting the chisel out of business, you can't tell what he will do next.

The alligator escaped again, and everybody thought he had gone to the river he thought that too, but when found he was in a mudhole on Allison Avenue. We don't know whether it was the mudhole he was after or whether he smelt Crit Mitchell's feet.

If some people could see themselves as others see them, and realize just how small they really are. There is not a glass in existence that would make them visible to the eye.

As soon as Ike Hamilton gathers his corn Tom Vermillion will sell his hogs.

Captain J. H. Lawson has lately come to the conclusion that he and work were never friends, or at least they are not now.

Bob Gibson happened to an accident the other day, his mule cow hooked him in the buggy shed.

Some eagles can live for a month without eating, but the American specie cannot live two weeks without some kind of a dose of diplomatic notes.

One of the greatest pleasures some of the women of this town has is to hang on the back fence and talk about their neighbors.

At a meeting of the State Surgeons Organization, they changed the site of the appendicitis two inches lower, so that the women could keep step with the changes in fashion, and continue to make their dresses lower at the top.

If you don't believe that a dog will remember a kick, try it on him and he will prove that he will remember it longer than some men will remember a favor.

There are high toned citizens who, when they have a family quarrel you can hear them to Artemus.

Two of our young men were heard in a quarrel the other night, it was all over a little chicken that had a few feathers.

Tye Lawson is going to have his hillside operated on for the gravel.

Pa, what is a satire? A satire my son is any tire that blows out under 5,000 miles travel.

Just the other day it was discovered that the methods of warfare have changed, when an English reporter gave it that the Berlin calvary was mounted on horseback.

For a little while there was no such thing as a creek in the State of South Carolina.

As soon as things settle down in Mexico, they will offer a resolution to extend the term of President for one year.

Joe Stansbury, since he came back from Indiana, is taking swimming lessons, so that he can go to Dishman Spring and swim the girls without taking an inflated auto tube with him.

Mr. Hughes' speeches has sure put some ginger in the campaign and has scared the Democrats until they are as pale as ashes.

A sugar is so high that we cant use it in our coffee, it makes a sample taste awfully sweet.

With the passage of the Navy bill, your Uncle Sam became a Samson.

Both wings of the Republican party are now flopping together that means inevitable defeat for the "Dummies" this fall.

The good old days of the wheelbarrow, pick and shovel are gone from the scene of road-building. Now it is new fangled road machinery, and old red headed Pat has to go to the cities and join the police force.

We know some church members who will when they die require a regiment of Popes, Bishops and Cardinals to pray them out of purgatory.

A religion that causes one to go on through the world without smiling is not worth 30c per cord.

The man who enters for his first trial in the political world is a victim to the fellows who want to have some real fun at his expense.

Tom Vermillion is still keeping his eye on the folks about the depot and Hugh Martin is sitting up at night watching Tom.

Sam Lewis has bought him a new pistol he is going to shoot a fellow as soon as he can get his witnesses together.

As a fine of \$1,200,000.00 imposed on Brussels for cheering a Cardinal has been termed mild, we wonder what it would cost to yell a hurrah for the Pope

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